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Monday 3rd October 2022

Dear Resident,

Bedford Road, W4 1UH, Electric Vehicle Charging Points

Ealing Council has recently adopted its climate and ecological emergency strategy aiming for the borough to be net carbon zero by 2030. As part of our ambition to achieve this, we plan to install a borough-wide electric vehicle charging point (EVCP) network on-street

https://www.ealing.gov.uk/info/201173/transport_and_parking/1316/electric_vehicles_and_charging_points/1

The number of EVs in the borough is growing rapidly, with currently over 3,000 recorded in late 2021, up from 2,000 EVs in late 2020. However, for many people a key concern with an electric vehicle is not being able to charge it easily.

The Council proposes improvements by installing new fast charge points with dedicated parking spaces in your local area helping residents with EVs to charge conveniently and **we would like your views**.

Only EVs plugged in and 'actively charging' would be allowed to use these spaces. This will ensure the EVCPs are available for users not blocked by other parked vehicles.

If you own an electric vehicle, you'll now have more chance of ensuring there's somewhere to charge your car.

There would be a maximum of two dedicated parking spaces for each charging point to be converted for charging electric vehicles, so we expect there to be little impact on parking.

The locations for proposed EVCPs have been selected in neighbourhoods where most residents have to park on street and where there have been resident requests. All selected locations have to satisfy comprehensive electrical safety and road safety standards plus other legal requirements.

After the consultation ends, we'll review all the feedback from residents and use this to inform our decision on whether or not to proceed.

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What is being proposed?

The proposed site for the fast charging points is located on Bedford Road. A photo and plan showing the location can be found on the back of this letter and on the survey.

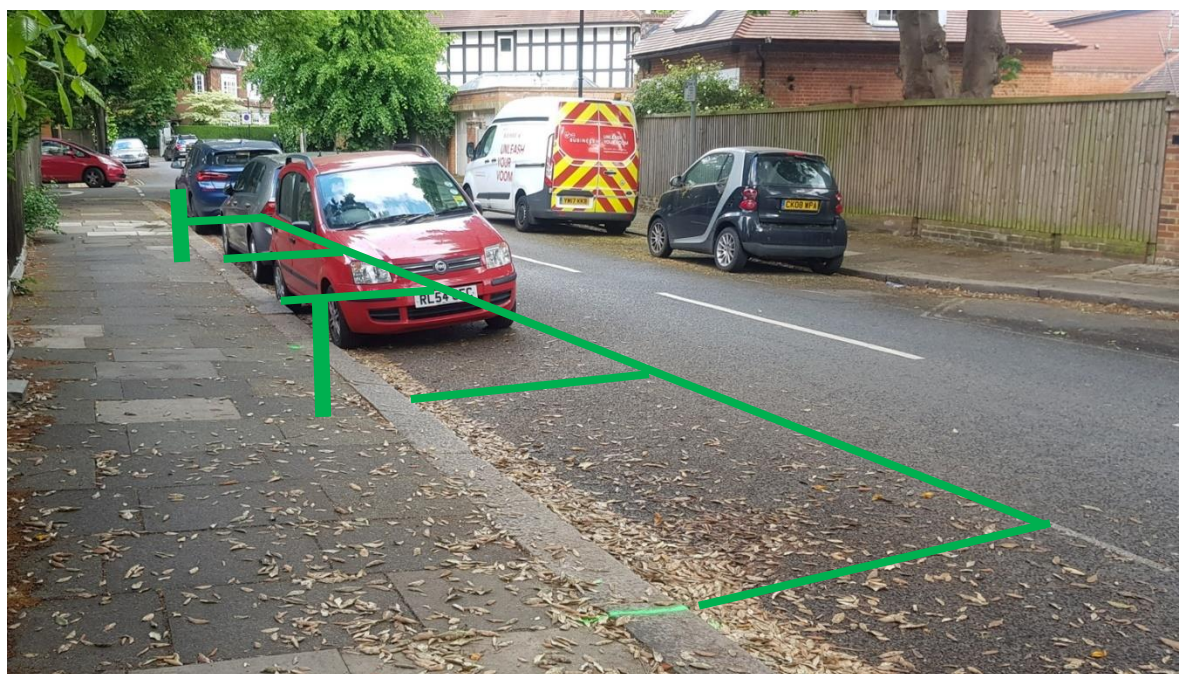
The fast charging points would be operated and managed by Liberty Charge

<https://libertycharge.com/how-to-charge/>

If you have any comments that you wish to be considered, please send them through the consultation webpage below or to transportplanningservice@ealing.gov.uk by **Monday 7th November**.

Consultation webpage:

www.ealing.gov.uk/ealingev



Plan (above): Location of the proposed charging points.

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Photo (below): Example of a fast charging point to be installed, allowing residents to charge up to 22 kwh AC.



If you would like further information regarding this consultation, which is not covered within this information letter contact:

✉ transportplanningservice@ealing.gov.uk